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Another Interesting Letter From W. C. Crandell.

Boulder, Colo., May 17th, 1902.
EDITOR TRIBUNE:—
Once more will give you a few lines from the Banner City of Colorado.

If is now quite a common occurrence to see familiar faces those who have met in days gone by either in Illinois, Wisconsin, Nebraska or Mo. It seems good to meet those acquaintances especially when far away from the loved ones of our family.

Since here have met several from Wisconsin, my home for many years and several of my army associates, also of school days at Milton and Walworth Wis.

Boulder has more old soldiers of the Civil war than any place I have ever been. A large number of them have come here purchased or built themselves homes and come to spend their last few years in a country unsurpassed for beauty of scenery, health and comforts of life. Our little Grocery Store (Mr. Silas Rombaugh and myself) has gotten to be quite a resort for them to congregate. I am like the Irishman, 'the longer I stay the more I find Boulder out' and the better I like it. Have not tried my luck in climbing yet but when my family gets here so they can accompany me am intending going up in the mountains and see where all this nice pure water comes from.

Homer Sabourin and wife made a brave start and came west and he has secured a position in Denver but intends coming back to Boulder when an opportunity opens that he can secure a position here.

I have never said anything about our Oil prospects here as I intended to await developments but there are now three wells pumping oil and 20 or more of them drilling that have not yet made any strike. The oil that has been taken out is of the finest quality and of paying quantity. What little information I have gained has been from hearing those more acquainted talk of their prospects.

One of the greatest industries outside of mining in this part of Colo. is the brick manufactory. Their home demand is great, as nearly all houses are of brick. Our home brick is as fine as is made in U. S. The brick is made out of a peculiar clay so hard it has to be blasted and buildings made from these make as fine structure as Milwaukee pressed brick. The price delivered on the ground at eight dollars per thousand.

Every one can have cellars as they will always be dry. I do not mean cyclone cellars for we have no use for them. They some times have wind pretty strong here for a short time, comes up all at once and goes down as suddenly. Some call them the Bold winds. I don't know what gave them that name, but I notice a great many men are uncommonly bold but as I was affected that way slightly before leaving Missouri will not affect me materially.

Perhaps I am taking up too much space will come again some time in the future.

Respectfully,
W. C. CRANDALL.

JONES ACQUITTED.

The case of State vs Jones which consumed all of last week in Circuit Court here was argued Monday and turned over to the jury about 6:30 p. m. The jury returned about 9 p. m. with a verdict not guilty.

County Committee Call.

Montgomery Mo. May 20, 1902.
The Republican County Central committee of Montgomery County is hereby called to meet at Montgomery City, at one o'clock p. m. Wednesday, May 28th, 1902 to fix the time and manner of nominating a county ticket. A full attendance of the committee is desired.

G. E. MUNS, Chairman.
R. S. PAUL, Secretary

Club.

Miss Mary Gupton delightfully entertained the B. F. P.'s last Monday evening. The B. F. P.'s are a jolly crowd of young people mostly in the first year of the High School who meet together something like once every two weeks and play progressive games for prizes and have a good time generally.

This time the progressive games played were Peanuts, Nilo and Dominoes. The young people enjoyed themselves immensely this time, and after the games were played and prizes won by Merrill Jordan and Miss Clarice Johnson, the guests regaled themselves upon superb refreshments. Soon after, the guests took their leave, profuse in their thanks for the entertainment of the evening. Those present were: Misses Nina Jamison, Clara Vogt, Lillian Evered, Braska Rookwood, Alice Muns, Edna Standhardt, Maybelle Gove, Grace Hayden, Julia Hudson, Clarice Johnson, Mary and Jessie Gupton. Messrs Malcolm Howing, Harry Johnson, Hughes Hassler, Merrill Jordan, Eugene Holmes, Joe Dyson, Paul Cason, Bernard Brandt, Roy Mitchell, Wm. Clare, Carl Hudson and Clyde Donaldson.

FIATRIMONIAL.

A handsome, clever young lady with plenty of income desires the acquaintance of a fine looking young man of marriageable age. He must be handsome, have a kind and lovely disposition and must be able to appreciate the Gent's Furnishings and Tailor made clothing sold by

BARLEY THE FURNISHER,
Montgomery City, Mo.

Bertha Bell Brelsford.

Bertha Bell Brelsford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bell Brelsford, was born Nov. 2, 1894. She has lived with her parents here almost continually since.

After a lingering illness she passed to the Great Beyond May 17, and was buried in the family cemetery of D. L. Stuart, near Bowling Green on May 18.

Her soul has returned to the God who gave it before its struggle began. The little form now stands upon the threshold of a world, void of sorrow with arms outstretched to the loved ones whose hearts are broken.

The "Little Sweetheart" whom they loved so well is gone but her influence is now stronger. The TRIBUNE condoles with the family in their hour of sorrow.

Senatorial Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Senatorial District of Missouri, composed of the counties of St. Charles, Warren, Montgomery, Callaway and Boone, is hereby called to meet at Warrenton at 10 o'clock a. m. Saturday, May 31, 1902, to fix the time and place of holding a convention to nominate a candidate for State Senator for said district and to transact such other business as may properly come before the committee.

Done by order of the Chairman and Secretary of said committee this 20th day of May, 1902.

JOHN W. STURGEON, Ch'm.
A. W. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

CIRCUIT COURT NOTES.

Pro forma degree of incorporation granted to Evangelical St. Jacobs congregation Big Spring. State of Missouri vs Thomas H. Jones. Acquitted.

E. H. Stockstrom vs J. T. Donovan et al. Judgement for plaintiff on default for \$2364.40

John Deere Plow Co. vs B. L. Zwart. Judgement for plaintiff by consent for \$80.00.

W. J. A. Alexander vs Pleasant W. Clare. Continued.

Wm. Holcomb vs Jesse A. Zwart Judgement for plaintiff by consent for \$64.85.

May Killingbeck vs John See. Continued.

J. F. Ball et al vs Austin Peck. Judgement by default for \$562.30. County of Montgomery vs Henry Ochsner. Continued.

Jane Mudd et al vs Geo. Dillon. Judgement by consent for plaintiff for three fifths of land involved.

Jane Mudd et al vs Aeden McKelvey et al. J. D. Barnett and W. W. Fry made co-plaintiff's and judgement by consent as per stipulation filed.

J. O. Overstreet vs City of Montgomery. Judgement for \$100.00 on compromise.

State ex rel Brennen vs J. H. Dierker et al. Plaintiff takes new suit. Other St. Charles county cases continued.

G. W. Robertson vs Joseph M. Cater et al. Judgement by default on vote.

Jane Mudd et al vs Aeden McKelvey et al. Continued.

State of Mo. vs Z. T. Lee. Judgement of J. P. affirmed by consent. State of execution granted for six months.

State vs John Warner. Judgement of J. P. affirmed by consent. State vs Wm. Reed. Defendant enters plea of guilty. Fine stayed during good behavior.

State vs Fred Warner. Defendant enters plea of guilty and is sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

State vs S. T. Palmer. Indictment quashed.

Some of those who were attending court here this week were: T. C. Bruere, Prosecuting Attorney of St. Charles county, Chas. Wilson, Attorney St. Charles, W. P. Hines, Deputy Sheriff of St. Charles county, Theodor McDermott Attorney of St. Charles, Justice Will of St. Peters, Carr Edwards who holds a county office in St. Charles, A. W. Studdle, Joe Ruffer, both of St. Charles, P. T. Karts, Deputy Sheriff of St. Charles and Col. Klopston, a well known attorney of St. Louis.

The "Sock Social."

The "Sock Social," given last Friday night by the Ladies Aid of M. E. Church, South at Mrs. John Evered, was a "howling success". No not a "howling success" because nothing stronger than coffee and chocolate was allowed, but many were present and something like twenty dollars was collected.

You were to present at the door the "sock" sent you with twice as many cents as the size of your sock; this was your admittance fee. Some people seemed to have such good "understanding" that they were kept away by the exceeding "muchness" of the fee and as for us, well we weren't present. Singing and piano playing were the features of the evening. The refreshments served were "real nice" cake, chocolate and coffee.

Would advise Montgomery City to turn out for the next church festival.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

May 19th., 1902.

"I am afraid the republican senators will die like poor Pat O'Brien," said Senator Hansbrough yesterday, when I asked him how the Philippine debate was coming on. "How was that? I asked. 'I'll tell you,' replied the Senator. 'Poor Pat's got to hang,' said a friend of Pat's to a mutual friend, one evening. 'No he hasn't,' replied the friend. 'Shure an he has,' said the first speaker. 'He's been convicted of murder in the first degree. He's got to hang.' It's the law. 'Mo, no, man' replied the friend. 'Ye're behind the times altogether; they've got a new way o' killing min now. Shure he'll die by execution.' And if the democrats keep on that will be the fate of the republicans senators," concluded Mr. Hansbrough.

The democrats still continue to play on their single string and are prolonging the Philippine debate to the last possible moment but there is reason to believe that the vote will come some time this week. What bill will follow the Philippine measure has not yet been definitely settled and Senator Allison, chairman of the republican steering committee, assured me that he did not know himself, when I saw him Saturday. "I got all my inside information from the bright young men who represent the press, these days, and, as you have the inside track on that you probably know more than I do," facetiously remarked the Senator when I tried to "pump" him. There is a rumor abroad that Congress will adjourn without acting upon either the Cuban reciprocity bill or the Nicaraguan Canal bill and as soon as I had heard it I had sought the senior Senator from Iowa. He said he hardly thought Congress would do that but when I asked him to confirm a positive statement which he made to me some weeks ago, that the canal bill will be considered first and others that the Cuban bill will take precedence.

The passage, by the Senate, on Thursday, of the bill providing for the erection of a union railway station in Washington was a serious disappointment to Senator Hansbrough who had conceived and formulated a substitute which provided for the erection of the new station by the government with a view to renting its use to the railroads. As the measure passed carries a considerable appropriation of public funds the Senator from North Dakota believed the government should retain its ownership and his proposition attracted much favorable comment from the residents of the District of Columbia but so much time and labor had already been spent on the bill which eventually passed by the Committee on the District of Columbia that the Senator's "municipal ownership" idea was rejected.

Ex-Senator Manderson of Nebraska appeared before Senator Platt's committee this week and offered the first important testimony derogatory to Cuban reciprocity. He claimed among other things, that there had started a flow of emigration from Iowa and Nebraska to the cheap lands of Manteba which flow could be effectually stopped by encouragement to the best sugar industry, but that the passage of the proposed bill would seriously augment that immigration. Mr. H. G. Leavitt, also of Nebraska, testified against the bill which, he claimed,

was entirely in the interest of the Sugar Trust. It is probable that if, at a reasonable early date, Senator Platt finds he has a sufficiently strong following in the Senate to pass a straight Cuban reciprocity bill such a measure will be reported and passed, but until the Senator so decides the bill will remain "in committee."

Miss Mable Baker left Sunday for Mineola to make an extended visit with her grand-parents J. D. Allen and wife.

The O. P. B. Club was entertained Monday evening in a most pleasing manner by Miss Lucile Washington. Progressive games were indulged in at which Miss Miriam Owings and B. M. Sisk won the prizes. A very delicious lunch was served and much enjoyed.

Miss Permelia C. Mahan, a noted elocutionist, will give a Recital in the W. C. T. U. Hall next Monday night at 8 o'clock, May 26. Go and hear her in the Siran Song, How Uncle Rodger hung the picture, a allegory on Wimmen's Rights, Gentian, &c, &c. There will also be a fine musical program, beautiful instrumental, charming vocal solos, humorous, sentimental and pathetic.

Admission only 10c. Everybody attend and enjoy a pleasant evening and help a good cause.

Died May 17, 1902 at the age of 81 years James Henry Shoots of this place.

Mr. Shoots was born in Henry county, Kentucky in 1821, married and came to Missouri in 1834. His wife died in 1876 leaving 9 children. In 1892 he moved to Montgomery City where he lived until the time of his death.

He died a quiet death and was taken to Mexico, Mo. to be buried.

PROGRAM FOR LEAGUE MUSICAL.

At the M. E. Church Sunday Evening
May 25, 8 o'clock.

Organ	-	-	Voluntary.
Musie	-	-	Choir.
Song	-	-	Congregation.
Prayer.			
Solo	-	Miss Gertrude Nunnally	
Male Quartet:	[Woodson, Barley,	
		Muns, Muns.	
Responsive reading.			
Solo	-	Miss Jessie Suggett.	
Mixed Quartet:			
Misses Washington, Nunnally,			
Messrs McQuie, Woodsan.			
Recitation.			
History of the League, Miss Virgie McCleary.			
Solo	-	Miss Lucile Washington.	
Duet	-	Misses Suggett and Nunnally.	
Remarks	-	-	Pastor.
Song	-	-	Congregation.

There will be special song services at the colored M. E. Church Sunday night beginning promptly at 7:30 p. m. The service will consist of solo's, duets, quartets and choruses.

NAT HARPER, Director

Rev. Andrew J. Thompson the pastor of the colored Baptist church is getting his congregation considerably stirred up. The rally last Sunday was a fair success. Rev. J. H. Waland the pastor of the colored M. E. Church took his congregation and went to Rev. Thompsons rescue.

Childrens day exercises will be held in the colored Baptist church the 1st, Sunday in June.

Colored Institute.

The colored Institute will be held in Montgomery City Mo. commencing July 21st 1902. All teachers in Montgomery and neighboring counties are requested to be in attendance.

G. S. ABINGTON, Conductor.
Clarksville, Mo.